

CINCINNATI NURSE WHO KILLED AUNT GETS LIFE TERM

Miss Keegan Must Serve Life Sentence in Reformatory for Killing her Aunt at Cincinnati Home.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Dec. 21.—Miss Ella T. Keegan, 38, former night supervisor of nurses at the Good Samaritan Hospital, was found guilty of murder in the second degree in a decision handed down in Criminal Court Friday by Judges Edward T. Dixon and Stanley Matthews. Miss Keegan shot her aunt, Miss Theresa Keegan, 60, at the home, 969 Hawthorne avenue, October 27. The former nurse was given a life sentence in the Ohio Reformatory for Women at Marysville.

Miss Keegan was unnered in the court room when she heard the decision. After she became calm she was led back to jail to prepare for the journey to the reformatory. The decision marked the close of one of the most unusual cases that has been in the county courts for years.

Satin comforts \$17.95 at Merz Bros.

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We have just received a fresh shipment of Huyler's and are all ready to supply our customers. If you have not already given us your order you should do so at once, while the stock is large. Drop in and select the varieties you want or phone your order and we will deliver it to you. Don't delay, for Huyler's sells very quickly.

FOR SALE AT RILEY DRUG STORE

TOBACCO MARKETS.

Local warehouses reported Friday as follows:

Liberty
Pounds sold \$4.540
High price \$49.00
Low price \$5.00
Average \$26.75
Lot No. 1, 1085 pounds at \$31.20; No. 2, 2410 pounds at \$33.10; No. 3, 3035, \$29.45; No. 4, 2215, \$28.50; No. 5, 1965, \$33.15; No. 6, 1280, \$28.25; No. 7, 1365, \$32.15; No. 8, 1545, \$29.90; No. 9, 2560, \$30.40; No. 10, 1825, \$30.50.
Gray's
About 30,000 pounds on floor. Good sale.

Stop at Traxel's to get a brick of ice cream for your Christmas dinner. 22Dec2t

Twenty per cent. discount on evening dresses at Merz Bros.

Mr. W. H. Voige, of Lansing, Mich., has arrived in Maysville to spend the Christmas holidays with his family.

Teddy bears 25 cents to \$2.98 at Merz Bros.

Robert Stroude, colored, was found insane by a jury in Circuit Court Friday morning and ordered taken to the State Hospital at Lexington.

"SCATTER" SALLEE WILL MAKE A TOWN OF HIGGINSPORT

Big Leaguer Invests Some of His Cash in Real Industry for His Old Home Town.

Harry (Scatter) Sallee, who made Higginsport, Ohio, known in all sections of the United States as the home of one of the greatest baseball pitchers of the United States, having retired from professional baseball, after having been in the game twenty-two years, has returned to his old home at the Port, and has now under way a new \$6,000 ice plant and bottling works.

This addition to Higginsport means a great deal to the citizens of that section of the country, owing to the fact that they had been used to good service, until J. P. Kemmerer moved his plant from the Port to Augusta a few weeks ago, and there is not much doubt but that Mr. Sallee will make good in his new venture.

And it is more than likely after the ice plant and bottling works are running smoothly that Higginsport will have its first electric light plant, run in connection with Mr. Sallee's other enterprises.

"Scatter," as Mr. Sallee is better known to his host of friends in this section, was in professional ball for about 22 years, his first tryout being with Birmingham, Alabama, then managed by Harry Vaughn, where he made good at once, and it was not long until he reached the National League, being with St. Louis, New York and Cincinnati, and played in three world series—a record to be proud of.

"Scatter" pleads guilty to being 38 years old, and says if the rules of the game would have permitted him to use rosin in his twirling that he could have remained in the big show for years to come, although he says that at times, while pitching a hard game his right leg gives out on him.

Merz Bros. make Christmas shopping so easy. They have a big store and a big stock of goods.

Phone your order to Minnie Sproemberg for oranges, bananas, celery, cranberries, candies and nuts. 245-J.

We issue Shoe and Slipper orders for Christmas. Can be used any time and for any amount. 20Dec3t

BARKLEY'S SHOE STORE.

SCHRIEBER-LAWRENCE.

Mr. D. E. Lawrence of Warrenton, Ohio, who recently located at Eustis, Fla., and Miss Clara Schrieber of Portsmouth, Ohio, were married Thursday eve, December 7, in Sanford, Fla., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. House, relative of the groom. The ring ceremony being said by Rev. John Schultz. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence returned immediately after the ceremony to Eustis, Fla., where they will reside in the new home being built by the groom and which is nearing completion. Miss Schrieber is well known here where she has made her home with her sister Mrs. J. C. Cahill of East Second street.

Imported dolls, 50 cents to \$3.98 at Merz Bros.

Stationery, pipes and a thousand other items. Special prices at J. Jas. Wood & Son Drug Store. 18Dec5t

Special price on large imported dressed dolls \$1.50. Merz Bros.

Cheer Up! Phone 327-W and let McManara press that suit for Christmas. 21Dec3t

COUNCIL HOLDS AN UNEVENTFUL SESSION

Milk Ordinance is Amended to Make It Effective in City. City Employees to Be Given Xmas Money.

The regular semi-monthly session of City Council Thursday evening was a very uneventful one. Little business of importance aside from the regular grand was transacted.

The city employees will be paid their salary this month Saturday that they may have it for Christmas instead of waiting until the first of January when all the festivities shall have passed.

Council authorized the Mayor to appoint a committee to inspect the work of indexing the city's records just completed by Mr. Joseph H. Dodson. The Mayor appointed Councilmen Davis, Clarkson and Orr, and Messrs. Jas. B. Key and A. M. January.

Mr. W. H. Hall for the building of a sewer in the old ball park property as soon as the sewer is in first class condition and so accepted by the Internal Improvement committee of council.

An amendment to the city's milk ordinance reducing the fine from \$200 to \$100 was introduced. This amendment puts the ordinance within the jurisdiction of the City Court. At is stood before the penalty was too high for the local court.

Bed room slippers for ladies, men, children, 75 cents to \$2.50. Merz Bros.

All Union barber shops will close at noon Christmas day. 21Dec3t

SCHOOL BOARD HOLDS VERY QUIET SESSION.

The City Board of Education held its regular monthly meeting at the High School building Thursday evening and transacted only routine business.

Movigraph \$2.95 make your own moving pictures. Merz Bros.

A nice gift would be a pair of Daniel Green's "Comfy" Slippers. We have them in all colors. 20Dec3t

BARKLEY'S SHOE STORE.

MORE BANKS OBJECT TO NEW TAX LAW.

The Farmers & Traders Bank and the Citizens State Bank filed suits in the Mason Circuit Court Thursday against the new taxing law. The suits were identical with suits previously brought by other local banks.

Philippine gowns and toddlers \$2.50 and \$2.98. Merz Bros.

NOTICE TO POOL MEMBERS.

1. Association warehouses will be closed on Christmas and New Years days.
2. Members must register loads and get cards before delivering.
21Dec2t JOHN A. BRESLIN, Sec.

Crepe de chine gowns and toddlers \$2.98 to \$6.95. Merz Bros.

Dressed poultry, oysters, celery and cranberries at Minnie Sproemberg. Phone 245-J.

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A PLUSH COAT needs the kind of experienced, skilled attention that we give it. You know when you send the garment to us that it will be returned to you looking as youthful and stylishly serviceable as when you purchased it.

The Modern Laundry and Dry Cleaning Co.
31 East Second Street, Phone 163

BETTERMENT IN KENTUCKY LEAF SHOWN IN REPORT

Tobacco Prices, Production, Area and Yield Per Acre Show Improvement.

Washington, Dec. 22.—Kentucky's tobacco crop this year will be more than a third larger than the Bluegrass state's production of 1921, according to figures made public by the crop reporting board of the Department of Agriculture.

All features of the report show an improvement for the Kentucky tobacco growers this year as compared with 1921. The area planted in tobacco this year was 150,000 acres more than the 1921 acreage; the average yield an acre increased four pounds; the total production increased 120,540,000 pounds; the average price a pound was 4 cents higher December 1, 1922, than on the same date of 1921, and the total farm value of the current Kentucky crop was \$5,534,000 more than last year's figure.

General improvement in the situation among tobacco growers throughout the country also is noted in the report. The total tobacco average for the entire country this year was 1,725,000 as compared with 1,427,000 in 1921; the average yield an acre was 768 pounds as compared with 749.6 in 1921; the total production was 1,324,430,000 pounds as compared with 1,069,692,000 in 1921; the average price a pound was 23.1 cents compared with 19.9 cents in 1921; and the total farm value was \$206,132,000 compared with \$212,728,000 in 1921.

Comparative figures for the 1922 and 1921 crops for principal tobacco producing states are as follows:

Area planted — Kentucky 525,000 acres compared with 335,000 in 1921. Average yield an acre — Kentucky 50 pounds in 1922 compared with 346 pounds in 1921. Total production — Kentucky 446,250,000 pounds in 1922 compared with 325,710,000 pounds in 1921. Average price a hundred pounds, December 1—Kentucky, 19.5c in 1922 compared with 15.5c in 1921.

Men's patent dancing pumps, \$5.00 Merz Bros.

Buy at Minnie Sproemberg's. Bananas, Oranges, Tangerines, Candies and Nuts. Phone 245-J.

JUST IN

Barge Plymouth Lamp, that good over coal. Best in town. Phone No. 20, GABLE BROS. Wall street. 22-5t

Dressed Turkeys, ducks, geese, and chickens; oysters and all kinds of fish, meats and etc. Phone us your Christmas order. SCHWARTZ & HANNAN. Phone 34. 203 Market street. 20D4

BABY MUSE.

Mr. and Mrs. Armond Muse, of Cincinnati, are the proud parents of a fine baby boy, since December 15th; weight 8 1/2 pounds. William Armond.

BROTHER OF MRS. ABNER NOW IN ASYLUM.

Lexington, Dec. 22.—Henry Schwartz 42, of Nicholas county, was brought to the Eastern State Hospital for treatment following a jury verdict in Nicholas circuit court that he was of unsound mind. Schwartz was a brother of Mrs. Hattie Abner, who died at the state hospital last week after she had been adjudged of unsound mind following a charge of killing her sister-in-law, Mrs. Thelma Schwartz.

Stop at Traxel's to get a brick of ice cream for your Christmas dinner.

LATE SHOPPERS CROWD LOCAL STORES.

Maysville was filled with late shoppers Friday afternoon and another big rush is expected Saturday, the shoppers' last chance. All local stores still have splendid lines. No disorder or trouble is reported among the Christmas crowds except a few scattered cases of shop lifting.

NOTICE

Merry Christmas to you. I will be in town until 12 o'clock Christmas day, and will visit your home for a period of fifteen minutes on Christmas morning. Will also deliver your presents. Either call or phone to Santa Claus at THE MAYSVILLE TEA & COFFEE COMPANY

Market Street. Phone 656.

WILL WED SATURDAY.

Marriage license was issued late Thursday to Mr. Charles Lewis Kennan, aged 22, and Miss Mable Roe, aged 18, both of the Orangeburg neighborhood. They will be married Saturday.

Big reductions on furs at Merz Bros.

Make This a Radio Christmas

WE HAVE A COMPLETE LINE OF PARTS TO BUILD YOUR OWN. Listen in on the Entertainments and News. Myers, Cunningham & Westinghouse tubes, Baldwin, Branches & Frost Phones, sockets, rheostats. "A" and "B" Batteries. Panels, wire and insulators. CALL US FOR INFORMATION.

East Side Auto Service

S.W. Corner Second & Commerce
A. B. BURGOYNE, Proprietor
Radio Pioneer of Maysville

THE HOME OF QUALITY CLOTHES

You'd Be Disappointed in a Thank You

THAT WAS EXPRESSED MERELY FROM COURTESY AND NOT WITH ENTHUSIASM.
YET THAT TYPE OF "THANK YOU" IS WHAT EVERY WOMAN RISKS WITH HER CHRISTMAS GIFTS FOR MEN UNLESS SHE CHOOSES THE GIFT WHERE A MAN SELECTS HIS OWN REQUIREMENTS.
THE YEAR ROUND MEN'S SERVICE OF THIS STORE PUTS US IN A POSITION TO PROVIDE EXACTLY THE GIFT HE WILL LIKE.

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| <p>GIFT CASE!
Many novelties that will attract you.</p> <p>BED ROOM SLIPPERS
For men, women and children, 75c. to \$2.50.</p> <p>MEN'S PATENT DANCING PUMPS \$5.00</p> <p>MEN'S SHIRTS
Eagles, \$1.39; Silk Striped Madras, \$1.99; White Broadcloth Silk, \$3.98 to \$5.95; Striped Silks, \$3.98 to \$5.95.</p> <p>SILK GRENADINE TIES \$1.69.</p> <p>GOLD AND SILVER PENCILS in a box, 50 cents.</p> <p>PERFUME SETS
Mavis, Hudnuta, Spencers, 95c. to \$7.50.</p> <p>CHILDREN'S FUR SETS.
The prettiest sets we have ever had. Brown, Grey and White, \$1.99 to \$9.95.</p> <p>DOLLS
Imported 50 cents to \$3.98. A special large Dressed Imported Doll that opens its eyes and has real hair, \$1.50.
Have you seen our</p> | <p>IF IN DOUBT GIVE A GIFT CERTIFICATE
We have beautiful holly decorated certificates that we write for any amount.</p> <p>"KITTY BESS" ROSE \$2.98.
Black, Navy, White, Brown, Nude.</p> <p>"FITHITE" BLOOMERS
They are so comfortable. Satine, \$1.50; Twill Satine, \$1.99; Jersey Silk, \$4.98.</p> <p>MISSIE'S CORDUROY ROBES \$3.50.</p> <p>FURS
Special prices on our stock of Furs.</p> <p>COATS AND SUITS
Less 20% Discount.</p> <p>HAND BAGS AND PURSES
A wonderful selection including Beaded Bags, \$1.00 to \$10.95.</p> <p>BLANKETS AND COMFORTS.
Make warm gifts, \$2.99 to \$19.95.</p> <p>TURKISH TOWELS
A table full of special values.</p> |
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